



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )

IVAN SEPETKA, *et al.* )

Application No.: 10/055,714 )

Filed: January 22, 2002 )

For: SYSTEMS, METHODS AND )  
DEVICES FOR REMOVING )  
OBSTRUCTIONS FROM A )  
BLOOD VESSEL )

Examiner: Unassigned

Art Unit: 3763

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the subject application as indicated below.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel original claims 30-113 and 117-121 without prejudice.